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# Flatbush Dahlias



Tulips  
and  
Daffodils



PRICE LIST  
Fall — 1928



Flatbush Dahlias are in bloom in September and continue to bloom until killed by frost. We would like everyone who loves flowers to consider this a personal invitation to visit our unsurpassed collection—an acre of the world's finest Dahlias—"in the heart of New York City." Location, five minutes' walk from the Kings Highway Station, Brighton Line of the B-M-T Subway. Or by auto, two blocks east of Ocean Parkway at Avenue P.

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OUR initial offering of spring flowering bulbs was so well received last season that we are encouraged to feature once more the desirability of growing two crops of gorgeous flowers on the same limited space.

After your Dahlias have been dug and stored for the winter, there is still time during October and November to plant Tulips or Narcissus, which will produce a mass of bloom next May and be out of the way in time for next season's crop of Dahlias.



We offer Tulips in the late-flowering varieties only, as they are far superior in size and keeping quality. Our prices will be found very low, and we cannot supply less than 100 of any one variety.



Our brief list of Narcissus is selected to include the very best varieties of each color and type. We recommend them especially, as they are at home in almost any climate or locality, and will thrive and multiply rapidly. As Narcissus may no longer be imported, the varieties offered are grown in this country. The bulbs are all sound and healthy, and may be depended upon to produce satisfactory results. We cannot supply less than 25 of any one variety.



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## DARWIN TULIPS

|   | Per 100 |
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| <i>Ariadne</i> —Pure deep glowing rosy crimson.   | 5.00    |
| <i>Baronne de la Tonnaye</i> —A long and beautiful flower, clear carmine rose shading to soft pink at the edges.....  | 3.25    |
| <i>Bartigon</i> —Very showy—large flowers of fiery crimson with white base.....   | 3.50    |
| <i>Clara Butt</i> —An exquisite shade of delicate salmon pink.....  | 3.25    |
| <i>Dream</i> —Rosy lilac shading to silvery lilac margin. ....  | 4.00    |
| <i>Farncombe Sanders</i> —Rich orange scarlet with white base.....  | 3.25    |
| <i>Glow</i> —Very large flowers of dazzling vermilion scarlet.....  | 4.00    |
| <i>King Harold</i> —Intense glossy blood red; large flower, tall and fine form.....   | 3.75    |
| <i>La Tulipe Noire</i> —The nearest to black known among tulips. Deep maroon flower with velvety sheen.....   | 4.50    |
| <i>Massachusetts</i> —Remarkably fine large flower of pure clear pink; one of the best..  | 3.75    |
| <i>Mrs. Potter Palmer</i> —Purplish violet with white base.....   | 4.00    |
| <i>Painted Lady</i> —White, slightly flushed lilac..  | 4.00    |
| <i>Pride of Haarlem</i> —Deep crimson-rose shaded scarlet.....  | 3.25    |
| <i>William Copeland</i> —Very fine delicate lavender; one of the earliest of the Darwins...   | 4.00    |
| <i>William Pitt</i> —Very beautiful flower of dark crimson; one of the largest and finest of the Darwins. ....  | 4.00    |
| <i>Fine Mixed Darwins</i> —A very fine assortment containing most of the above varieties and many others equally beautiful. Will make a striking display..... | 3.25    |





## COTTAGE TULIPS

Per 100

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| <i>Gesneriana Lutea</i> —Unsurpassed for bedding, with perfectly shaped flowers of purest golden yellow. ....                                      | \$4.00 |
| <i>Gesneriana Spathulata</i> —Brilliant scarlet with bluish black center. ....   | 3.75   |
| <i>Inglescombe Pink</i> —Large globular flowers, rosy pink, slightly flushed salmon. ....  | 3.75   |
| <i>Inglescombe Yellow</i> —Very fine flower of full rich yellow, sometimes called the "Yellow Darwin," as it closely resembles this group. ....    | 4.00   |
| <i>Picotee (Maiden's Blush)</i> —Very elegant medium-sized flower of white with a picotee margin of deep rose around the edges of the petals. .... | 3.75   |
| <i>Mrs. Moon</i> —The finest of all yellow tulips; immense flowers of rich orange yellow. ....   | 6.00   |
| <i>Parisian Yellow</i> —Deep yellow. ....  | 3.75   |
| <i>Siren</i> —Lovely flower, petals gracefully reflexed, of purest glistening satiny rose. ....  | 6.00   |
| <i>Fine Mixed Cottage Tulips</i> , including almost every conceivable color and shade. ....  | 3.50   |
| <i>Special Mixture</i> —Equal proportions of Cottage and Darwin Tulips. Will make an interesting and showy display. ....                           | 3.50   |

## BREEDER TULIPS

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| <i>Bronze Queen</i> —Soft buff tinged with golden bronze. ....                          | 4.50 |
| <i>Cardinal Manning</i> —Rosy violet edged with salmon-bronze. ....                     | 5.00 |
| <i>Dom Pedro</i> —One of the finest; deep brown, slightly shaded maroon; fragrant. .... | 7.50 |
| <i>Jaune d'Oeuf</i> —Bronzy-apricot, shading to yellow at the edges. ....               | 6.00 |





## NARCISSUS

Per 100

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| <i>Emperor</i> —For years the standard all yellow giant trumpet Daffodil, and still one of the most popular.....  | \$12.00 |
| <i>Empress</i> —Fitting companion to Emperor, this variety is the standard bi-color with rich yellow trumpet and pure white perianth. ....  | 12.00   |
| <i>King Alfred</i> —The largest and in every way the finest pure yellow Daffodil grown; immense flowers of deep rich yellow.....  | 20.00   |
| <i>Victoria</i> —A bicolor famous for large and durable flowers; perianth creamy white, trumpet rich yellow.....  | 12.00   |
| <i>Sir Watkin</i> —This Incomparabilis or Medium Trumpet variety is very popular. The large flowers are a clear primrose yellow, with the fringe of the cup shaded darker .....   | 12.00   |
| <i>Whitewell</i> —Lovely companion to Sir Watkin. Flat white petals with spreading canary yellow cup. Flowers have great substance and last longer than most other sorts.....   | 15.00   |
| <i>Barri Conspicuus</i> —One of the best of the smaller "Crown Daffodils," having a broad spreading perianth of pale yellow, with a small cup or crown edged orange scarlet. Can be planted closer than the giant trumpet varieties and will give an astonishing mass of bloom..... | 8.00    |
| <i>White Lady</i> —Perfectly formed perianth of pure white with small cup of pale canary..  | 10.00   |
| <i>Poeticus</i> —The original late-flowering Poet's Narcissus; pure white flowers with a tiny orange cup edge a deep red; delightfully fragrant. ....   | 7.00    |
| <i>Orange Phoenix</i> —Very pretty medium sized double daffodil, rich yellow deepening to orange at the center.....   | 14.00   |
| <i>Mixture</i> —All types of Narcissus mixed in a charming assortment—very desirable for naturalizing .....   | 7.00    |



# Flathush Dahlias

This preliminary price list is intended for use at exhibitions and in our gardens, where the varieties desired may be seen—the first requirement of satisfaction in ordering. Descriptions are therefore omitted, as it is preferable that this list be brief for convenience. Our full descriptive catalogue will be ready in January, and we will be pleased to mail same if desired.

Prices quoted in this list are subject to change, but all orders received before January 1st will be guaranteed against increase in prices, and will receive the benefit of any reduction.

We are happy to thank our many friends for their kind support in the past, and assure them that we are constantly endeavoring to improve our facilities for prompt and satisfactory service.

|                           | <i>Per<br/>Tuber</i> |
|---------------------------|----------------------|
| Adler .....               | \$1.00               |
| Alice Whittier.....       | 3.50                 |
| Ambassador .....          | 1.00                 |
| Amber Glow.....           | 1.00                 |
| Andreas Hofer.....        | 1.50                 |
| Avalon .....              | 1.00                 |
| Azusa .....               | 2.00                 |
| Ballet Girl.....          | 1.00                 |
| Barbara Redfern.....      | 5.00                 |
| Barbara Wear.....         | 7.50                 |
| Berengaria .....          | 3.50                 |
| Bohemia .....             | .75                  |
| Caprice .....             | 1.50                 |
| Carissima .....           | 7.50                 |
| Carnival .....            | 7.50                 |
| Charlotte Lafrenz.....    | 7.50                 |
| Charm .....               | .75                  |
| Condor .....              | 2.50                 |
| Countess of Lonsdale..... | .75                  |
| Couronne D'Or.....        | 2.00                 |
| Daddy Butler.....         | 1.00                 |
| Doris Trayler.....        | 1.50                 |
| Dorothy Dix.....          | 10.00                |
| Earle Williams.....       | 1.00                 |
| Eastern Star.....         | 2.00                 |
| Edna Ferber.....          | 5.00                 |
| Elite Glory.....          | 3.50                 |
| Elizabeth Marie.....      | 3.50                 |
| Ellinor Vanderveer.....   | 1.50                 |
| Emil Panuski.....         | .75                  |



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Tuber*

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|------------------------------|-------|
| Flaming Meteor.....          | 3.50  |
| Flatbush Darling.....        | 10.00 |
| Flora Treseder.....          | 1.00  |
| Florence Michell.....        | 3.50  |
| Fort Washington.....         | 3.00  |
| G. Bornemann.....            | 1.50  |
| Geo. W. Gero.....            | .75   |
| Gloria .....                 | 2.50  |
| Golden Acre.....             | 6.00  |
| Golden Emblem.....           | 3.00  |
| Golden Fleece.....           | 4.00  |
| Golden Queen.....            | 1.50  |
| Heart of Gold.....           | 1.50  |
| Hera (Imported).....         | 5.00  |
| Jack Hobbs.....              | 3.50  |
| Jane Cowl.....               | 10.00 |
| Jersey's Beacon.....         | 2.00  |
| Jersey's Beauty.....         | 1.00  |
| Katie Delfino.....           | 3.50  |
| Kitty Rogers (Imported)..... | 2.50  |
| Leslie Hancock.....          | 1.50  |
| Little Jewel.....            | 1.00  |
| Lucky Strike.....            | 3.00  |
| Mabel Goodacre.....          | 7.50  |
| Mabel Lawrence.....          | 5.00  |
| Maid Marian.....             | 4.00  |
| Mandalay .....               | .75   |
| Mariposa .....               | 1.00  |
| Marmion .....                | 4.00  |
| Mary Murray (Imported).....  | 3.00  |
| Mary Segar (Imported).....   | 3.00  |
| Mevrouw Dix.....             | 1.00  |
| Miss San Francisco.....      | 3.50  |
| Mr. H. C. Dresselhuys.....   | .75   |
| Mrs. Alfred Hughes.....      | 1.50  |
| Mrs. Charles Chase.....      | 1.00  |
| Mrs. E. L. Lindsay.....      | 1.00  |
| Mrs. Eleanor Martin.....     | 1.50  |
| Mrs. I. de ver Warner.....   | .75   |
| Mrs. John M. Root.....       | 2.00  |
| Mordella .....               | 1.50  |
| Nagels Roem.....             | 2.50  |
| Nature's Jewel.....          | 7.50  |
| Nature's Masterpiece.....    | 5.00  |
| Ohio Glory.....              | 3.00  |
| Olive Reed.....              | 5.00  |
| Papillon .....               | 1.00  |
| Paul Revere.....             | 2.50  |
| Phyllis Tucker.....          | 5.00  |
| Pierrot .....                | .75   |

|                                   | <i>Per<br/>Tuber</i> |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Pink Cockatoo.....                | 7.50                 |
| Prestige (Imported).....          | 3.00                 |
| Primula Rex.....                  | 5.00                 |
| Rayonanthe .....                  | 1.00                 |
| Regina Coeli.....                 | 1.00                 |
| Ring Ouzel.....                   | 3.00                 |
| Rollo Boy.....                    | 1.50                 |
| Roycroft .....                    | 2.00                 |
| Sagamore .....                    | 1.50                 |
| Salmonea .....                    | 1.50                 |
| Sanhican Gem.....                 | 1.50                 |
| Santa Anna.....                   | 3.00                 |
| Sheila Ward.....                  | 3.50                 |
| Shirley Eileen Shattuck.....      | 5.00                 |
| Signal .....                      | 1.00                 |
| Signoor (Imported).....           | 2.00                 |
| Silverado .....                   | 5.00                 |
| Supt. Amrhyn.....                 | 1.00                 |
| Starlight .....                   | 15.00                |
| Sweet Brier.....                  | .75                  |
| T. A. Leonard.....                | 1.00                 |
| Thos. Hay, V.M.H. (Imported)..... | 5.00                 |
| Valentino .....                   | 10.00                |
| W. D. Cartwright (Imported).....  | 6.00                 |
| Waldheim Sunshine.....            | 15.00                |
| Wapiti .....                      | 1.50                 |
| Watchung Sunrise.....             | 6.00                 |
| Weltfrieden .....                 | .75                  |
| Winfield Slocombe.....            | 1.00                 |
| Y. W. C. A.....                   | 3.50                 |
| Zeus .....                        | 1.50                 |

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